Manufacturing Interests of the United States & &

Interesting Statistics Showing the Industrial Growth of the Nation.

1900a. Number of establishments. 312,728. Capital	1890, 325,415 \$6,525,156,486	1880. 263,862 \$2,790,272,606	1870, 252,14 \$2,118,268,76
Safaried officials, clerks, etc. 297, 230 number \$403,877,531 Salariee \$403,877,531 Wage earners, average number \$2,210,677 Total wages \$2,200,771,021 Men, 16 years and over \$2,022,858,276 Women 16 9,247 Wages \$281,766,586 Children, under 16 years 108,624 Wages \$1028,856,160 Miscellaneous expenses \$1,028,856,866 Cost of materials used \$7,300,964,877	b461,009 b4391,988,206 4,201,613 51,891,225,327,042 51,609,204,483 \$11,609,204,483 \$16,655,802 \$16,055,805 \$5,162,044,056	(c) (c) 2,732,595 3947,953,736 2,619,625 (c) 151,629 (c) 151,921 (d) 33,336,523,549	(c) (c) 2.652.99 \$765.584.84 1.615.59 (c) 323,77 (c) 114.62 (d) \$2,488,427.24
Value of products, including cus- tom work and repairing\$13,040.013,628	\$9,372,437,283	\$5,369,579,191	\$4,282,326,440

ments for 1899 not being separable.

b Includes proprietors and firm members, with their salaries; number only reported in 1890.

e Not reported separately.

d Not reported.

Wool manufactures—Establishments, 2, 465; capital, \$298,374,465; employes, 245,141; wages, 83,379,968; cost of raw materials, \$237, 231,546; annual products, \$400,968,833.

While we may glory in the fact that

our total manufactured products have

shown an increase between 1890 and

1900 of 32.9 per cent., and the total

wages paid to employes during the

same period has increased 23.8 per

tablishments 27.3, and the amount of

capital invested 43.7 per cent., yet we

have cause for regret from the fact

that all of our industries have not

shown an increase. Several of the im-

portant lines of industry have de-

ns to 6,1 per cent. The

Slaughtering and meat packing estab-

and increase. In that line the number

per cent., the capital invested has in-

creased 61.9 per cent., number of em-

ployes increased 55.8 per cent., the

wages paid increased 37.7 per cent.

and the value of the product increased

61.4 per cent. This is due to the replac-

tent by the big packing houses of the

Annual Profits.

To arrive at figures representing

somewhere near the total profits of

our manufacturing industries it is but

necessary to add together the various

the value of the product. The items fig-

uring in th cost of production are the

salaries of 156,405 salaried officials and

clerks, not enumerated in the wage-

earners, amounting to \$169,244,988; the

amount paid wage-earners, amounting

to \$962,714,010; the miscellaneous ex-

penses, which include such items as

rent, taxes, insurance, etc., amounting

to \$745,868,665, and the cost of raw ma-

terials amounting to \$3,743,536,496. To-

gether these items give a grand total

of \$5,462,364,159, which, deducted from

the value of the manufactured prod-

uct, \$6,117,965,710, leaves \$655,601,551

These items of cost and production

show some notable increases during

the ten years from 1890 to 1900. The

number of salaried officials and clerks,

for instance, have increased from 125,-

567 in 1890 to 156,405 in 1900, a percent

age of 24.6. During the same time their

salaries increased from \$111,606,244 in

1890 to \$169 ,244,988 in 1900, a per-

centage of 51.6. The number of wage-

earners increased from 1,923,781 in 1890

to 2,306,537 in 1900, a percentage of 19.9,

and their wages increased from \$785,-

907,485 in 1890 to \$972,714,010 in 1900, a

percentage of 23.8. The miscellaneous

expenses increased from \$341,628,493

in 1890 to \$475,868,665 in 1900 a per-

centage of 39.3. The cost of raw ma-

terials increased from \$2,792,150,885 in

1890 to \$3,743,536,496 in 1900, a percent-

age of 34.1. During the same time the

value of the annual product increased

from \$4,603,434,185 in 1890 to \$6,117,935,-

Standing of the States,

710 in 1900, a percentage of 32.9.

representing profits.

metropolitan cities.

Washington, D. C.—The above table presents in concrete form the essential results of the twelfth census relative to manufactures, and gives a \$122,710,193; cost of raw materials, \$16,731,000; annual products, \$66,529,712. Iron and steel—Establishments, 725; captial, \$850,041,710; employes, 226,161; wages, \$122,710,193; cost of raw materials, \$549,127,industries. The work of compiling the manufacturing statistics has but just reached the stage where the presentation of accurate facts as contained in this table are noted by a contained in this table are noted by a contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts as contained in this table are noted by a contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts as contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of accurate facts are contained in the stage where the presentation of the stage where the presentation of the stage where the stage where the stage where the stage where the stage wh tion of accurate facts as contained in this table are possible, and while there have of course been some changes since the date of taking the census yet it is safe to base the manufacturing figures of the country on these, to which might be added probably an increase

of ten per cent. Beginning with the census of 1850 the government has included in the statistics gathered figures relating to the manufacturing industries. The table given above does not include these figures further back than 1870, but for purposes of comparison we give a few of them here that the growth of the full half century may [24,45,765, cm] for the full half century may [25,45,765, cm] for the full h table given above does not include be noted. Going back from 1870 to 1860 we find in the latter year but 140,-433 manufacturing institutions in the country, and in 1850 there were but 123,025. In 1860 the total capital invested in manufacturing establishments amounted to \$1,009,855,715; the total value of wages paid, \$378,874,966; the total value of raw material consumed, \$1,031,605,092, and the total manufactured product amounting to a value of \$1,885,861,676. Going back another ten years to 1850 we find the total capital invested at that time was but \$533,245,351; the total wages paid \$236,755,464; the raw materials con-sumed, \$555,123,822, and the value of the manufactured product, \$1,019,106,-

Henvy Increases.

Mr. S. N. D. North, the chief statistician for manufactures, in commenting on the remarkable advance in our

creased, though the decrease is to be manufacturing interests, said: "It will be observed that, in comparison with the figures of the census of | but very few lines, and those compara-1850, there has been an increase in tively unimportant ones. In but five lines, among which is the manufacture capital invested approximating nineteenfold; in the average number of of woolen goods, is there noted a dewage-carners about five and one-half crease in the amount of capital invested, and there has been a decrease fold; in the amount of wages paid about tenfold, and in value of prodin the amount of wages paid in 11 lines. nets about thirteenfold. This is an In the manufacture of boots and shoes, unusually remarkable showing when we consider that the population of per cent.; in the manufacture of carriages and wagons the amount of the country has increased in the meanwages have decreased 8.7 per cent., time but about two and one-quarterfold. While these comparisons must while in both lines there has been an the past decade seems to have marked be made with many reservations, they increase in the value of the manufacnevertheless afford, in all the items tured product amounting in boots and except that of capital invested, an apshoes to 18.3 per cent., and in carcrease in manufactures which ocgreatest number of decreases are shown in the number of establishments in the curred in the United States in the last half of the nineteenth century. They different lines, a fact that may be credare particularly suggestive as an in- ited to the tendency to industrial comdication of the increasing productive binations. The number of agricul capacity of labor, due chiefly to the tural implement factories have deincreased effectiveness of machinery creased 21.4 per cent., for instance, and the largely increased investment while the value of the manufactured of capital. The apparent value of product has increased 24.5 percent, the products per wage-earner has inamount of capital invested has increased from \$1,065 in 1850 to \$2,451 in creased \$.5 per cent., and the wages paid show an increase of 24 per cent.

The table given at the head of this article does not include the small lishments give another notable inestablishments with an annual value stance of this percentage of decrease of products of less than \$500. Of these there are a total of 127,419, with an of establishments have decreased 17.6 invested capital of \$44,388,065, employing 55,128, to whom is paid \$2,122,126 in wages annually, and turning out an annual product valued at \$29,724,643.

The Large Industries.

Public interest naturally centers in the large industries, and what each ing of the local butchers to a great excontributes to the grand total of our manufactured products together with the number of wage-earners to whom they give employment and the amount of wages paid them. The following summary gives much of this information in a condensed form with the industries arranged in alphabetical or-

Agricultural implements-Number of tablishments, 715; capital invested, D 707.961; wage earners employed, 46.582; wages paid, \$22,456,886; cost of raw mate-\$43,944,628; value of annual product

Boots and shoes—Establishments, 1,600; capital, \$101,755,232; employes, 142,922; wages, \$56,175,882; cost of materials, \$169,604,054 an-nual product, \$261,025,500. Carriages and wagons—Establishments, and shoes-Establishments, 1,600

7.632; capital, 118,187,838; employes, ges, \$29,814,911; cost of materials, \$56,676.

wages, \$23,816,011; cost of materials, \$00,010; 673; annual product, \$121,637,276. Cars and general railroad shop construc-tion—Establishments, 1,296; capital, \$119,-\$50,273; employes, 173,652; wages, \$96,662,329; cost of materials, \$109,539,013; annual prod-

uct, \$218,238,277.

Dairy products (cheese, butter and condensed milk—Establishments, 9,351; capital, \$25,491,799; employes, 12,590 (does not include firm members or clerks); wages, \$6,189,699; cost of raw materials, \$109,139,801; annual product, \$131,183,338.

Chemical products—Establishments, 1,740; capital, \$238,529,641; employes, 46,765; wages, \$21,799,251; cost of raw materials, \$124,043,837; annual product, \$202,582,396.

Clay products—Establishments, 6,422; cap-

oducts-Establishments, 6,422; cap-

Clay products—Establishments, 5,42, 795 ftal, \$41,731,323; employes, 106,618; wages, \$39,534,070; cost of raw materials, \$5,839,840; annual products, \$22,963,184. Coke—Establishments, 241; capital, \$36,-502,579; employes, 16,999; wages, \$7,065,736; cost of raw materials, \$19,606,632; annual

products, \$25,586,445.
Cordage and twine—Establishments, 106; capital, \$29,276,470; employes, 13,114; wages, \$4,113,112; cost of raw materials, \$26,632,006; annual products, \$37,849,651.
Cotten manufactures.

annual products, \$57,849,661. Cotton manufactures — Establishments, 1,661; capital, \$467,240,187; employes, 202,861; wages, \$86,689,752; cost of raw materials. 1,001; capital, \$467,240,161; employes, \$42,501, wages, \$86,689,752; cost of raw materials, \$176,551,627; annual products, \$339,198,619. Flour and grist mills—Establishments, 25,-268; capital, \$218,714,104; employes, \$7,075; wages, \$17,704,418; cost of raw materials, \$476,826,245; sanual products, \$560,719,668. Gas illuminating and heating—Establish-ments, \$77; capital, \$567,000,506; employes, \$2,459; wages, \$12,462,296; cost of raw mate-rials, \$20,005,356; annual products, \$75,716,-

Of the different states and territoass—Establishments, 355; capital, 361,-06; employes, 52,818; wages, \$26,529,748; ries in the union not one has shown a ital

decrease in the value of her manufactured product during the ten years between 1890 and 1900. The following table shows the rank in manufactures and population, the number of establishments, number of employes and value of annual product of the several states is arranged in order of the rank

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State.	Manufactures	Number of Es- tablishments	Number of Employes	of Products
ew York enn llinois lassach'ts hio ew Jersey lissouri ndiana Visconsin	9 8 7 4 5 16 5 6 7 5	78,639 52,135 38,390 20,130 32,888 15,451 18,754 18,015 16,187	849,092 723,834 296,110 497,488 345,869 241,881 134,975 156,966 142,076	\$2,176,76 1,835,16 1,259,57 1,005,15 832,4 611,74 385,4 778,13 200,37

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	New York i	1	78,659	849,692	\$2,176,766,900
	Penn 2	2	52.185	723,834	1,835,104,431
ı	Illinois 3	3	38,390	395,110	1,259,571,106
ı	Massach'ts., 4	7	29,180	497,488	1,005,198,989
ı	Onto 5	- 4	22,398	345,869	832,438,113
I	New Jersey. 6	16	15,481	241,582	611,748,933
ı	Missouri 7	- 5	18,754	134,975	385,492,784
ı	Indiana 8	13	18,015	155,956 142,076	
ı	Wisconsin 9 Michigan16	9	16,187 16,807	162,355	
ł	Connectleut 11	29	9,128	176,694	352,824,106
1	California 12	21	12,582	91,047	302,874,761
۱	Minnesota 13	19	11,114	77,234	262,655,881
ı	Maryland14	26	9,879	108,325	242,559,990
ı	Rhode Isl'd.15	34	4.189	98,813	184,074,378
ł	Kansas16	22	7,830	35,193	172,129,398
l	Iowa17	10	14,819	58,553	164,617,877
١	Kentucky18	12	9,560 5,414	62,963 24,461	154,605,115 143,990,162
١	Nebraska19 Virginia20	17	8,248		132,987,910
ı	Maine21	30	6,762	74.816	127,361,485
١	Louislana 99	23	4,350		121,181,683
ı	Louisiana .22 Texas 23	6	12,289	48,150	119,414,982
9	New Hamp.24	36	4.671	70.419	118,609,308
Į	Tennessee25	14	8,001	50.167	107,437,879
1	Georgia 26	11	7,504	83,842	106,654,527
ı	Colorado27	31	2,570	24,725	102,830,137
j	N. Carolina.28	15 33	7,226	70,570 33,806	94,919,663
1	Washingt'n 29 Alabama 30	18	5,602	52,902	\$6,795,051 \$0,741,449
ı	W. Virginia.31	28	4.418	33,272	74,838,330
Ì	S. Carolina22	24	3,762	48,135	58,748,731
	Vermont33	40	4,071	29,455	57,646,715
ı	Mortana34	41	1,080	10,117	67,075,824
	Dist. Colum.35	42	2,754	24,693	47,666,622
	Oregon36	35	3,088	17, 239	46,000,597
	Delaware 37	46	1,417		45,387,630
	Arkansas38	25 20	4,704	26,501 26,418	
	Missisippi		2,056	34,230	36,810,243
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lorida 40 32 awali 41 48 rizona 42 48 tah 43 43 o Dakota 44 37 o Dakota 45 41 klahoma 46 38 ew Mexico 47 45 'yoming 48 50 laska 49 51 laho 50 47 ddian Ter. 51 39 (evada 52 52 396 1,400 1,639 1,130 870 420 354 63 591 789 228 4,587 3,266 6,615 3,121 2,398 2,664 2,800 2,241 2,263 1,477 1,714 601 Lumber and timber products—Establishments, 33,005; capital, \$811,613,524; employes, \$33,205; wages, \$194,640,591; cost of raw materials, \$317,923,548; annual products, \$366,822,-Paper and wood pulp — Establishments, 763; capital, \$167,507,713; employes, 49,646; wages, \$20,740,426; cost of raw material, \$70,580,236; annual products, \$127,286,162.
Refining petroleum—Establishments, 67; capital invested, \$36,337,892; employes, 12,-190, 23,577,892; employes The first seven states as enumerated

in the above table held the same relative rank in point of manufactures in 1890 as in 1900, though they changed somewhat in their rank as to population. Among the states which made orducts, \$22,983,569.

Ship bullding—Establishments, 1,116; captal, \$77,362,701; employes, 46,781; wages, \$24,-33,161; cost of raw materials, 32,486,772; annual products, \$74,578,158.

Slaughtering and mest packing—Establishments, 921; capital, \$189,182,564; employes, 8,534; wages, \$33,407,612; cost of raw materials, \$985,883,577; annual products, \$786,683,-770. notable advances in point of rank may be mentioned Indiana, which stood number 11 in 1890 and number 8 in 1900. with a product valued at \$226,825,082 in the former year and \$378,120,140 in the later year; Louisiana, number 26 in 1890 and 22 in 1900, with a product valued at \$57,806,713 in the former year and \$121,181,683 in the later.

Growth in the States.

But the development of manufacturing interests may be studied in an even more certain way than by noting the changes in rank of the several cent., the number of manufacturing es- states between the dates of the last two census takings. In 1890 Arizona was turning out manufactured products to the value of only \$947,547, while in 1900 her manufactured products were valued at \$21,315,189; in 1890 Colorado manufactured products to the value of only \$42,480,205, while in 1900 noted in the value of the products in her factories produced goods to the value of \$102,830,137; New York in 1900 manufactured goods to the value of \$2,175,766,900, while in 1890 her factories produced goods to the value of only \$1,711,577,671. And so it is possible to go down through almost the entire list of states, each showing a heavy increase in the total of manufactured for instance, wages have decreased 2.5 | products between the two dates, and each adding its part to the grand total of increase. In the southern states the increase is especially noticeable, and a new era in their industrial development and prosperity.

WRIGHT A. PATTERSON. AMERICAN STORE IN AFRICA.

Established by a New York Firm and Had a Great Bargain Sale on Opening Day.

A New York firm owned, for years two barks which plied in the Liberian trade, visiting also towns of importance elsewhere along the coast. These vessels were well known in this country among all who were interested in the emigration of Amercan negroes to Liberia, states the New York Sun.

The largest number of emigrants from the southern states who removed to the land of their fathers sailed on these vessels, each of which had a comfortable little cabin and good accommodations for 40 or 50 passengers. The New York firm discontinued this service for some years, as the profits had considerably diminished, but awhile ago it resumed the trade, and now sends merchandise to traders of Sierra Leone and Liberia, taking in exchange the coffee, palm oil and other products of those countries, but has also opened a store at Monrovia, the capital of items composing the total cost of nanufacture and deducting that from

Liberia. Two young men are in charge of this store, which is filled from top to bottom with American goods of all sorts required by the Liberian retail trade. It is a distinctively American store, where nearly everything can be bought, from a dress pattern to a keg of nails.

The Liberians like American goods, and our products are proving that to death. they can hold their own in competition with any European products in the African market.

of shopping as their American sisters. On the opening day the two young men in charge had a very busy time, for the store was thronged from morning till night.

All the shoppers of the little city were out to see what the store had to offer. They came with considerable cash in their pockets and made inroads in the stock.

A great variety of articles was sold, among them being over 300 dress patterns, many combining cheapness with durability, while other dresses were of the best quality that the Monrovian market demands.

The new store had a great send off. It is not expected that its daily sales will often be as large as those of the opening day, but at last reports business was thriving and the American store had become an institution of the town. Some of the great depart-ment stores of New York had a much humbler beginning, and if Monrovia develops as its citizens hope it will do, the new enterprise is likely to keep pace with the growth of the cap-

JULIUS STERLING MORTON.

Agriculture During Second Cleveland Administration

Chicago, April 28.-J. Sterling Morton, former secretary of agriculture, died at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at Lake Forest, at the home of his son, Mark Morton. For several to the military forces. He said the weeks Mr. Morton had been gradually failing. The nature of his sickness had not been determined, and a week ago he was brought from his home at Nebraska City, Neb., to Lake Forest, for medical attendance. The change brought no improvement, and he failed gradually until death came.



The arrangements for the funeral are as yet incomplete, but it has been determined that services will be held at Lake Forest at two o'clock Tues day afternoon, after which the re mains will be removed to Mr. Morton's country home at Arbor Lodge, near Nebraska City, where services will be held on Wednesday afternoon

Nebraska City, Neb., April 28.-The illness of Secretary Morton dates from last November, when he contracted a severe cold while speaking at the stock show in Chicago. The cold ran into an attack of the grip, and Mr. Morton was in a hospital for day at Sulat, also in Samar. some time. When he was able to do so, he returned to his home in this city, where he suffered a relapse. After a partial recovery, he left, early in March, for the City of Mexico, expecting the trip to restore his health During his stay in the southern country a disease of the bronchial arteries developed, and he returned north. He suffered severely on the return journey, and reached his home with his general health much impaired. Three weeks ago Mr. Morton returned to Chicago in the hope of securing the services of a specialist. The condition of his throat again became aggravated, and a week ago he suffered an attack of apoplexy. From this last attack he rallied but little. His immediate death, however, according to Dr. Ginn, his local physician, was due to an inflammation of the bronchial

The ex-secretary was the author of a little and san mineral to the substant motion of the was an investment of agriculture, and is now generally observed in all the states. He was an investment of agriculture, and is now generally observed in all the states. He was an investment of agriculture, and is now generally observed in all the states. His constant motion was a practical farmer, and ran his department along practical flines, but, never-the-less, not without many squabbles. He regarded the don'that coulself found himself in opposition to congress. The ex-secretary was the author of arbor day, April 28, which betan to be observed generally during his incumbency as head of the department of agriculture, and is now generally observed in all the states. His constant motion was a large letters under a pleture of a tree on his stationery.

He was an inveterate letter-writer. He found keen enjoyment in answering communications from farmers, and it was no unusual occurrence for him to call newspaper men into his office to read the answers he was writing to farmers, often gibbs, overtices of the critical propers. N. Y. Mr. Morton was connected editorially for a time with the Detroiters. N. Y. Mr. Morton was connected editorially for a time with the Detroiters. N. Y. Mr. Morton was connected editorially for a time with the Detroiters. N. Y. Mr. Morton was connected editorially for a time with the Detroiters. N. Y. Mr. Morton was connected editorially for a time with the Detroiters. N. Y. Mr. Morton was connected editorially for a time with the Detroiters. N. Y. Mr. Morton was connected editorially for a time with the Detroiters. N. Y. Mr. Morton was connected editorially for a time with the Detroiters. N. Y. Mr. Morton was connected editorially for a time with the Detroiters. N. Y. Mr. Morton was connected editorially for a time with the Detroiters. The extended by the denth of Thomas B. It is morting a parade will be given in honor of the admiral and his wife. In the afternoon a regatta excitation of the mean of t Julius Sterling Morton.

HE STRANGLED HIMSELF.

Martin Lynch, Charged with Wife Murder, Commits Suicide, by Hanging, in His Cell.

Cleveland, O., April 27.-Martin Lynch, who was arrested a few days ago, charged with the murder of his wife at the home of the couple, 603 Tod street, committed suicide early Saturday morning in his cell at the county jail by hanging himself from the door knob. The knob was not more than three feet from the floor. Lynch had carefully tied a sheet to the knob and then the other end about his neck. In order to accomplish his purpose it was necessary for him to sit down on the floor of his cell and slowly strangle himself

Death of a Pioneer Railroad Builder St. Joseph, Mo., April 28.-Morris The women of Monrovia are as fond Hickey, a pioneer railroad builder, one of the originators of the Hanni bal railroad in Missouri, died here yesterday, aged 77. He always enjoyed robust health until one year

An Unsuccessful Search.

London, April 28.—The British cruiser Thames has returned to Greenock after having covered 3,300 miles in her search for the missing Allan Liner Huronian. Her efforts were without result.

Mrs. Julia A. Harper Dead. New York, April 27.-Mrs. Julia A. Harper, widow of James Harper, founder of the publishing firm

Harper & Brothers, of New York, in

1844-45, is dead at her home in this

city from heart failure. New York, April 27.-The antique Bible bound in gold, the corner set with precious stones and owned by J. Pierpont Morgan, has been passed by the customhouse authorities free

FAREWELL TO THE NINTH.

Glowing Compliment to the Military Arm of the Government.

Manila, April 28.-At a farewell banquet here to the officers of the Ninth infantry, Acting Civil Governor Luke E. Wright paid a glowing tribute army under circumstances of surprising difficulty had paved the way for the work of the civil authorities, and that only a few cases of friction between the two branches of government had occurred. He said that Gen. Chaffee, whose opinion might at times have differed from those of the civil authorities, had been a most loyal supporter of civil rule.

Replying to Civil Governor Wright, Gen. Chaffee said that the officers of the army knew that their duty to the country demanded their utmost efforts to sustain the civil authorities, and to supprers the rebellion.

GEN. GRANT'S EXPEDITION.

Rebels in the Island of Samar Mak ing Haste to Surrender to the Americans.

Manila, April 28.—Gen. Fred D. Grant's expedition, in the gunboats Baseo and Florida, several steam launches and native lighters, has ascended the Gaudara river, in the Island of Samar, and has brought the insurgent leader, Guevarra, and his entire command down the coast. Guevarra's command consists of Rafae Sebastian, Abaki and 38 other offi cers, 189 men and 161 rifles.

Three hundred insurgents, with 131 ifles were expected to arrive at Catbalogan, Samar, yesterday, to surrender formally to the American au-

Three hundred bolomen, 28 of them ramed with rifles, surrendered Satur-

Guevarra succeeded Gen. Lukban to the command of the insurgent forces in Samar, when the latter was cap-

Surrender of the Ladrone Leader Rufo.

Manila, April 28.-Capt. L. W. V. Kennon, of the Sixth infantry, reports from the Island of Negros the urrender of the ladrone leader, Rufo, with 158 officers and men of his command, together with 12 gans, 140 bolos seven spears and a few revolvers and daggers. Capt. Kennon says this surrender means the opening up of the whole of the southern coast of the Island of Negros. After Papa Islo. Rufo was the most important ladrone chief on the island. He promises to force Papa Isio and his few remaining followers to surrender. Papa Isio was appointed a colonel in the insurgent army by Gen. Malvar

Republic.

Washington, April 28 .- The attenion of the war department has been directed to the statement which recently appeared in print that Senator Stephen B. Elkins, of West Virginia, had seen no military service. The records show that Senator Elkins saw service in the west as captain of Company H, Seventy-seventh enrolled Missouri militia, which, by direction of Gen. John M. Schoffeld, was placed under the orders of United States officers, and was honorably discharged therefrom in 1864. A regulation of the G. A. R. admits to membership those who served in state regiments that were called into service and were subject to orders of general officers between April 12, 1861, and April 9. 1865, and under this regulation Senator Elkins became a member of the grand army post at Elkins, W. Va.

Accidentally Shot.

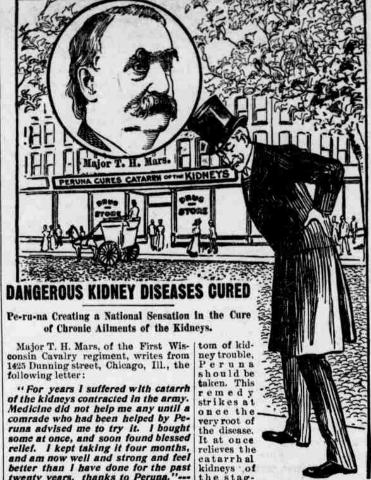
Kansas City, Mo., April 28.—William W. Carr, aged 37 years, one of the best-known telegraph operators in the west, was accidentally shot, yesterday, and instantly killed while visiting his parents at Eudora, Kas Carr was alighting from a buggy when he tripped, discharging his shotgun. He received the contents of both barrels directly over the heart Mr. Carr had been connected with the Associated Press in Topeka since 1892 and had worked at Kansas City, Omaha, Denver and other western points He leaves a widow.

Child Burned to Death.

Mattoon, Ill., April 27 .- Alge, the three-venr-old son of Wesley Hicks near Isabel, found a box of matches while his mother was in the yard The child's clothing was ignited and before aid arrived he was burned to

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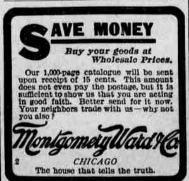
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